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SUBJECT: GATT ARTICLE XIX CONSULTATIONS WITH AUSTRALIA
ON STEEL SHEET AND PLATE

REF: (A) GENEVA 8242

(B) STATE 213862

1. MISSION REQUESTED TO TAKE NECESSARY STEPS TO EXTEND

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TIME PROVIDED IN ARTICLE XIX: 3(A) FOR ANOTHER 90 DAYS.

LAST EXTENSION EXPIRED DECEMBER 11. WE UNDERSTAND THE

JAPANESE AND AUSTRALIANS EXTENDED THE 90 DAY PERIOD
IN A JOINT COMMUNICATION DATED DECEMBER 23 NOTED IN
L/4166 ADD. 5.

2. U.S. PRIORITY REMAINS REMOVAL OF QR'S. IN VIEW OF
CONTINUED UNWILLINGNESS OF GOA TO CONSIDER TAKING SUCH
ACTION UNTIL INDUSTRY ASSISTANCE COMMISSION REPORT IS
AVAILABLE AND SINCE REPORT EXPECTED TO BE AVAILABLE IN
FEBRUARY AS INDICATED BY GOA, MISSION REQUESTED TO INFORM
AUSTRALIANS U.S. EXPECTS 90 DAY EXTENSION TO PROVIDE
ADEQUATE TIME FOR GOA DECISION ON QUOTA REVIEW. IN ANY
EVENT, U.S. EXPECTS TO SEEK FORMAL CONSULTATIONS NEAR END
OF FEBRUARY.

3. SINCE JAPAN HAS MAJOR EXPORT INTEREST IN THIS ITEM,
U.S. WOULD APPRECIATE REPORT ON STATUS OF JAPANESE-
AUSTRALIAN CONSULTATIONS ON THIS ISSUE. KISSINGER

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